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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
ARIZONA WATER COMPANY, FOR AN
EXTENSION OF ITS EXISTING CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY. AT CASA
GRANDE, PINAL COUNTY, ARIZONA

DOCKET NO. W-01445A-06-0199

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PALO
VERDE UTILITIES COMPANY FOR AN
EXTENSION OF ITS EXISTING CERTIFICATE OF
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DOCKET NO. SW-03575A-05-0926

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
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EXISTING CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY.

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NECESSITY.

DOCKET NO. W-03576A-07-0300

ARIZONA WATER COMPANY, AN ARIZONA
CORPORATION,

COMPLAINANT,

VS.

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DOCKET NO. SW-20445A-06-0200
DOCKET NO. W-20446A-06-0200
DOCKET NO. W-03576A-06-0200
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GLOBAL WATER RESOURCES, LLC, A FOREIGN
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY; GLOBAL
WATER RESOURCES, INC., A DELAWARE
CORPORATION; GLOBAL WATER
MANAGEMENT, LLC, A FOREIGN LIMITED
LIABILITY COMPANY; SANTA CRUZ WATER
COMPANY, LLC, AN ARIZONA LIMITED
LIABILITY CORPORATION; PALO VERDE
UTILITIES COMPANY, LLC, AN ARIZONA
LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATION; GLOBAL
WATER – SANTA CRUZ WATER COMPANY, AN

1 ARIZONA CORPORATION; GLOBAL WATER -
2 PALO VERDE UTILITIES COMPANY, AN
3 ARIZONA CORPORATION; JOHN AND JANE
DOES 1-20; ABC ENTITIES I-XX,
RESPONDENTS.

4 IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION OF
5 CP WATER COMPANY AND FRANCISCO
6 GRANDE UTILITIES COMPANY TO TRANSFER
7 THEIR CERTIFICATES OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY AND ASSETS TO PALO VERDE
UTILITIES COMPANY AND SANTA CRUZ WATER
COMPANY.

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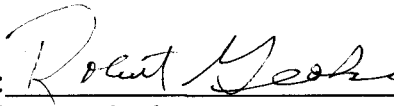
NOTICE OF FILING

9 Hearings regarding the above-captioned consolidated dockets were conducted on June 8
10 and 9, 2009. At the conclusion of the hearing, Arizona Water Company (the "Company") was
11 directed to late file certain additional information in the form of an affidavit from one of its
12 witnesses, Fredrick Schneider.

13 Arizona Water Company is today filing the requested affidavit of Fredrick Schneider.

15 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 9th day of July, 2009.

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23 **SUPPLEMENTAL AFFIDAVIT OF FREDRICK K. SCHNEIDER**

24 **ON BEHALF OF ARIZONA WATER COMPANY**

25 Fredrick K. Schneider, being duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

26 1. I am employed by Arizona Water Company as Vice President of Engineering.
27 I previously submitted direct testimony in this matter on January 12, 2009, and rebuttal
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1 testimony on May 8, 2009, as well as testifying at the hearing in this matter on June 8-9,
2 2009.

3 2. I make this affidavit to respond to certain questions the Administrative Law
4 Judge raised during the hearing concerning the percentages of total acreage and number of
5 property owners in the extension area for which Arizona Water Company has received
6 requests for service.

7 3. Specifically, on June 8, 2009, at Volume I, p. 182 of the transcript, I had the
8 following dialogue with Judge Nodes, commencing at line 7:

9 ACALJ NODES: Do you have a similar percentage number of
10 current or were you dated –

11 THE WITNESS: Not off the top of my head. I would have to go
12 through and calculate the areas that we requested versus the areas we are
13 asking for to give you an exact percentage. We would get that number.

14 ACALJ NODES: And if you could get it both on a percentage of the
15 total acreage as well as the total percentage of the total property – number of
16 property owners.

17 THE WITNESS: Okay.

18 ACALJ NODES: Okay. And if you could make that calculation and
19 provide that somewhere in the record.

20 THE WITNESS: Sure.

21 **Percentage of Acreage**

22 4. Arizona Water Company has applied for an extension of its Certificate of
23 Convenience and Necessity (“CCN”) covering approximately 56,215 acres (or
24 approximately 88 sections), and has received requests for service covering 15,152 acres, or
25 approximately 27% of the total acreage.

26 5. Almost one third of the total acreage (approximately 17,931 acres) is
27 governmentally-controlled land, including land controlled by the Arizona State Land
28 Department (“ASLD”). The Company received a request for service from ASLD covering

1 4,480 acres, or approximately 25% of the governmentally-controlled land in the extended
2 CCN area. The remainder of the governmentally-controlled land, for which requests for
3 service have not yet been made, includes land controlled by the Bureau of Land
4 Management, land designated as part of the Sonoran Desert Monument, land controlled by
5 the Bureau of Reclamation, and county-owned land. None of these governmental agencies
6 has objected to the extension of Arizona Water Company's CCN to cover their property.

7 **Percentage of Landowners**

8 6. According to Arizona Water Company's most recent information received
9 from the State Department of Revenue and Pinal County, there are approximately 932
10 landowners in Arizona Water Company's requested CCN extension area. Arizona Water
11 Company has received requests for service from 24 landowners, or approximately 3% of the
12 total number of landowners in the extension area.

13 7. Arizona Water Company notified every single landowner in the amended
14 extension area by both publication and mailing a written notice to each landowner at their
15 most current known address, and not a single landowner objected at the hearing. *See*
16 *Certification Of Mailing and Publication* docketed December 5, 2008. Thus, the percentage
17 of landowners who have not objected to extension of Arizona Water Company's CCN to
18 cover their property is 100%.

19 8. It is also significant that most of the landowners in the CCN extension area
20 own relatively small parcels. Of the approximately 932 landowners, 619 landowners (or
21 more than 66%) own less than 10 acres.


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9. On the other hand, of the 10 landowners who own a section (640 acres) or more of land, Arizona Water Company has received requests for service from five, or 50%.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

DATED this 9th day of July, 2009


Fredrick K. Schneider

STATE OF ARIZONA)

County of Maricopa)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me by Fredrick K. Schneider, known to me personally, this 9th- day of July, 2009.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

May 11, 2010

